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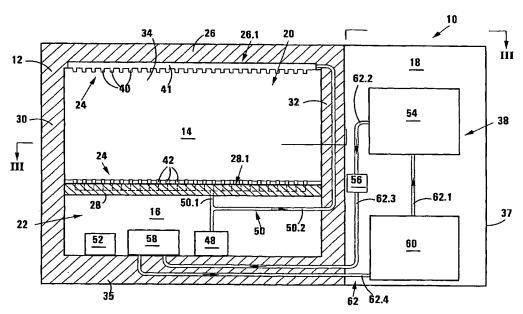
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(57) Abstract: The invention relates to a refrigeration unit (10). The unit includes a refrigeration zone (20) for receiving an item or items to be refrigerated, and dispensing means (24) oriented relative to the refrigeration zone so as to enable dispensing of a working fluid into the refrigeration zone. The unit further includes catchment means which are arranged relative to the refrigeration zone so as to collect the working fluid after it has been dispensed into the refrigeration zone. The unit includes also cooling means (38) for cooling the working fluid in use. The invention extends to a method of refrigerating an item.

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